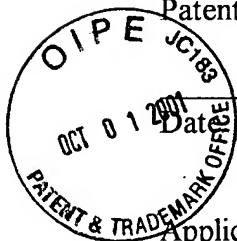


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants herewith petition the Commissioner of Patents under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for a four-month extension of time for filing the response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated March 27, 2001 from May 27, 2001 to September 27, 2001. The petition fee of \$1390.00, and any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0665. This petition is being submitted in triplicate.

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